A-6318 (a) & (b)(Variance Requests)

Construct a new house with a front portico:

- a) with a stoop and two treads that would encroach a maximum of six feet, six inches (6'-6"); and
- b) a roof and gutter, which would encroach a maximum of seven feet, six inches (7'-6") forward of the twenty-five (25) foot front building restriction line.

Mr. Brendan O'Neill, Sr. 106 Newlands Street*

*This address reflects a re-subdivision of the property formerly known as 104 Newlands Street, previously recorded as Lots 12, 13 and Part of 14 in Block 46, into two properties: Lot 13 and Part of 12 in Block 46, now known as 106 Newlands Street; and Lot 14 in Block 46, known as 104 Newlands Street.

CHEVY CHASE VILLAGE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Please take notice that the Chevy Chase Village Board of Managers will hold a public hearing on the 13th day of May, 2013 at 7:30 p.m. The hearing will be held at the Chevy Chase Village Hall at 5906 Connecticut Avenue in Chevy Chase, Maryland.

APPEAL NUMBER A-6318 (a) & (b) MR. BRENDAN O'NEILL, SR. 106 NEWLANDS STREET* CHEVY CHASE, MARYLAND 20815

The applicant seeks a variance from the Board of Managers pursuant to Section 8-11 of the Chevy Chase Village Building Code to construct a new house with a front portico:

a) with a stoop and two treads that would encroach a maximum of six feet, six inches (6'-6");

and

b) a roof and gutter, which would encroach a maximum of seven feet, six inches (7'-6") forward of the twenty-five (25) foot front building restriction line.

The Chevy Chase Village Code § 8-17 (c) states:

No structure or play equipment of any description shall be erected within twenty-five (25) feet of the front line of any lot.

Additional information regarding this appeal may be obtained at the Chevy Chase Village Office between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, may be viewed on the Village website at www.chevychasevillagemd.gov or you may contact the office for this information to be mailed to you.

This notice was mailed to abutting and confronting property owners on the 2nd day of May, 2013.

Chevy Chase Village Office 5906 Connecticut Avenue Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815 301-654-7300

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MAILING LIST FOR APPEAL A-6318

MR. BRENDAN O'NEILL, SR. O'NEILL DEVELOPMENT 11 RUSSELL AVENUE GAITHERSBURG, MD 20877

Adjoining and confronting property owner	'S
Ms. Laura Rosenfeld Barnes; Mr. Phillip	Mr. & Mrs. Robert S. Morgenstern
Rosenfeld; & Mr. David Rosenfeld	Or Current Resident
c/o Mr. Ronald Rosenfeld	16 Newlands Street
1881 N. Nash Street #TS 10	Chevy Chase, MD 20815
Arlington, VA 22209	
Mr. & Mrs. Arthur J. Phelan	Mr. & Mrs. Thomas B. Leachman
Or Current Resident	Or Current Resident
6300 Brookville Road	103 Newlands Street
Chevy Chase, MD 20815	Chevy Chase, MD 20815
Mr. George A. Boinis	Mr. Richard Ruda
Or Current Resident	Or Current Resident
105 Newlands Street	108 Newlands Street
Chevy Chase, MD 20815	Chevy Chase, MD 20815
Ms. Martha L. Dippell &	Ms. Francesca Danieli &
Mr. Daniel L. Korengold	Mr. Gary Gensler
Or Current Resident	Or Current Resident
101 East Melrose Street	105 East Melrose Street
Chevy Chase, MD 20815	Chevy Chase, MD 20815
Ms. Susan Goldberg &	Mr. & Mrs. Patrick O'Brien
Mr. Geoffrey Etnire	Or Current Resident
Or Current Resident	115 East Melrose Street
111 East Melrose Street	Chevy Chase, MD 2081511
Chevy Chase, MD 20815	
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I hereby certify that a public notice was delivered to the aforementioned property owners on the 2nd day of May 2013.

Ellen Sands

Permitting and Code Enforcement Coordinator

Chevy Chase Village

5906 Connecticut Avenue

Chevy Chase, MD 20815



May 2, 2013

Mr. Brendan O'Neill, Sr. O'Neill Development Brewster-Lipscomb House 11 Russell Avenue Gaithersburg, MD 20877

Dear Mr. O'Neill:

Please note that your request for a variance to construct a new house a) with a stoop and two treads that would encroach a maximum of six feet, six inches (6'-6"); and b) a roof and gutter, which would encroach a maximum of seven feet, six inches (7'-6") forward of the twenty-five (25) foot front building restriction line is scheduled before the Board of Managers on Monday, May 13, 2013 at 7:30 p.m.

Either you or another representative must be in attendance to present your case. At that time, additional documents may be introduced and testimony can be provided in support of the request.

For your convenience, enclosed please find copies of the Public Hearing Notice and mailing list. Please contact the Village office in advance if you are unable to attend.

Sincerely,

Ellen Sands

Permitting and Code Enforcement

Chevy Chase Village

Enclosures

CHEVY CHASE VILLAGE 5906 Connecticut Avenue Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815 Phone (301) 654-7300 Fax (301) 907-9721 ccv@montgomerycountymd.gov www.chevychasevillagemd.gov

Chevy Chase Village

Building Permit Application

Building Permit Application	Permit No: <u>63</u> [8
Property Address: 104 Newlands	
Resident Name: Ronald Rosenfeld	
	Cell phone:
After-hours telephone:	
E-mail: ronald.rosenfeld@gmail.com	
Project Description:	
new single family house with detached garage	
☐ Check here if the construction will require the demolition of	of over fifty (50) percent of any existing structure.
Primary Contact for Project:	
☐ Resident ☐ Architect ☐ Project Ma	nager
*MHIC/MD Contractor's License No. (required):	
Information for Primary Contact for Project (if different	from property owner):
Name: Brendan O'Neill Sr.	
Work telephone: 301-840-9310x103 After-hours te	lephone:
Cell phone: 240-388-7477	
E-mail: Brendan O'Neill Sr <boneillsr@oneilldev.com></boneillsr@oneilldev.com>	
Will the residence be occupied during the construction pr	roject? Yes \int No
If no, provide contact information for the party responsible for	L
Name:	
Address:	
Work telephone: After-hours teleph	ione:
Cell phone:	
E-mail:	
Parking Comp	liance:
Is adequate on-site parking available for the construction crev	ws? ✓ Yes No
If no, please attach a parking plan which minimizes i if the property is in a permit parking area.	
Will road closings be required due to deliveries, equipment o	r other reasons? Yes \int No

Building Permit Filing Requirements: Application will not be reviewed until the application is complete

Building plans and spec	Site Plan Checklist to ensure completeness) cifications requested of Village arborist (see: Village Tree Inspection Request form). All
required tree protection	s must be fully installed before any work begins.
	of application). Fees schedule is listed in Chapter 6 of the Village Code.
Damage deposit or perf bond will be set by Villa	Formance bond (due when Building Permit is issued). Amount of required deposit or age Manager.
aocuments ana, unaer most	n is complete, the Village Manager will review the application and accompanying circumstances, act on the application within 5 to 10 working days.
If the Montgomery County p suspended, revoked or lapse	permit is suspended, revoked or lapsed, the Village permit is automatically ed.
No signs advertising the arc	chitect, contractor, or any other service provider may be posted on the work site.
I hereby certify that I ha is correct, that I have rea conform to the regulatio	ave the authority to make the foregoing application, that the application ad and understood all requirements and that the construction will ns of the Montgomery County Zoning Code, the Village Code including any covenants and easements on the subject property. Date:

For Use By Village Manager	Application approved with the following conditions:	
For Use By Village Manager	Application denied for	the following reasons:
APR 2 2 2013 Chevy Chase Village Manager		
Filing Fees		
(due when application submitted)	Checks Payable to:	Chevy Chase Village 5906 Connecticut Ave.
Permit Application Fee: \$ 5400 (see Permit Fee Worksheet) \$50.00 (if construction is in the Public Right-of-way)		Chevy Chase, MD 20815
Tree Preservation Plan Fee: \$250.00 Not required for this project.		
TOTAL Fees: \$5650.00	Date: 4 2 13 Staff Signature: Musa.	S
Damage Deposit/Performance Bond (due when permit is issued)	Checks Payable to:	Chevy Chase Village 5906 Connecticut Ave. Chevy Chase, MD 20815
S Waived by Village Manager	Date: Village Manager Signature:	
Cost of damage to R-O-W: (calculated at close-out) Amount of refund:	Date: Village Manager Signature:	

Chevy Chase Village

Application for a Variance

A variance is permission granted to a landowner to depart from the specific requirements of the Village zoning ordinance and allows a landowner to use land differently than specified in the ordinance. The variance is a written authorization from the Board of Managers permitting construction in a manner not otherwise allowed by the Village Code.

Subject Property: 104 NEWLANDS ST CHEVY CHASE, MD
Describe the Proposed Project: PROPOSED NEW HOME SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED WITH FRONT PORCH PROTRUDING 66" FROM FRONT OF MAIN HOUSE WITH PORCH OVERHANG EXTENDING AN ADDITIONAL 6" FORA TOTAL PROTRUSION OF 7. VARIANCE REQUESTS THAT THE PORCH BE ALLOWED TO EXTEND FULLY INTO THE 25' FRONT YARD SETBACK Applicant Name(s) (List all property owners): RONALD ROSENFELD
Daytime telephone: 703 - 516 - 4350 Cell:
E-mail: RONALD, ROSENFELD @ GMAIL, COM
Address (if different from property address): TURNBERRY TOWERS SUITE TSIO 1881 NORTH NAGH ST. ARLINGTON VA ZZZO9 For Village staff use: Date this form received: 42213 Variance No: A - 6318
Filing Requirements: Application will not be accepted or reviewed until the application is complete
Completed Chevy Chase Village Application for a Variance (this form)
 Completed Chevy Chase Village Building Permit Application A boundary survey or plat diagram with a margin of error of one tenth of a foot or less showing all existing
structures, projections and impervious surfaces.
 □ Surveys, plats, engineering reports, construction plans/specifications or other accurate drawings showing boundaries, dimensions, and area of the property, as well as the location and dimensions of all structures/fences/walls/etc., existing and proposed to be erected, and the distances of such structures/fences/walls/etc., from the nearest property lines. These drawings shall incorporate and display reference dimensions from the boundary survey or plat diagram required above. □ Copy of Covenants applicable to the property except for variances from Sections 8-22, 8-26 or Article IV of Chapter 8 of the Chevy Chase Village Code.
☐ Variance fee (See fee schedule listed in Chapter 6 of the Village Code).
Affidavit I hereby certify that I have the authority to submit the foregoing application, that all owners of the property have signed below, that I have read and understand all requirements and that I or an authorized representative will appear at the scheduled public hearing in this matter. I hereby authorize the Village Manager, or the Manager's designee, and/or the Board of Managers to enter onto the subject property for the purposes of assessing the site in relation to this variance request. I hereby declare and affirm, under penalty of perjury, that all matters and facts set forth in the foregoing application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. Applicant's Signature: Date: Date: Date:
ROSENFELD Page 1 of 2

Describe the special conditions of the proj	equest (attach additional pages as needed). perty (e.g., odd shape, small size, sloping topography, abuts compares to other properties in the Village:
GEE ATT	ACHED APPEAL STATEMEN
injustice because of the special condition(g regulations would result in an unwarranted hardship and (s) described above (i.e., describe (i) the unwarranted hardship how the special conditions cause that unwarranted hardship and
of Chapter 8 of the Chevy Chase Village Conference of the Chevy	nearly accomplishes the intent and purpose of the requirements Code, entitled Buildings and Building Regulations: T () the a variance request, the Chevy Chase Village Board of or partly, or may modify the requirement, decision or
Variance Filing Fee Per Village Code Sec. 6-2(a)(24): \$300.00 for new construction. \$150.00 for replacing existing non-conformities. \$300.00 for fences, walls, play equipment, trees, hedges, shrubbery in the public right-of-way. Other: \$ Fee Paid:	Checks Payable To: Chevy Chase Village 5906 Connecticut Ave. Chevy Chase, MD 20815 Date Paid: 4/22/3 Staff Signature: Methods
	Approved to Issue Building Permit per Board Decision Signed by the Board Secretary on: Date:
	Signature:Village Manager



Brewster-Lipscomb House- 11 Russell Avenue Gaithersburg, MD 20877 301.840.9310 x103 Fax 301.840.9371 www.oneilldev.com

April 22, 2013

Appeal Statement

We respectfully request approval from the Board of Managers for a Variance to Section 8-17C of the Village Code which states that no structure of any design shall be erected within 25' of the front line of any lot. Specifically we are requesting that the front entry porch of our proposed single family residence be allowed to encroach into the 25' front yard building setback.

Background:

O'Neill Development, contract owner of lot 42, 104 Newlands St. Chevy Chase, MD, plans to construct a home designed by David Jones, on the subject lot. This house will replace a house that was demolished several years ago on that lot.

Appeal Statement:

Our request is based on the following:

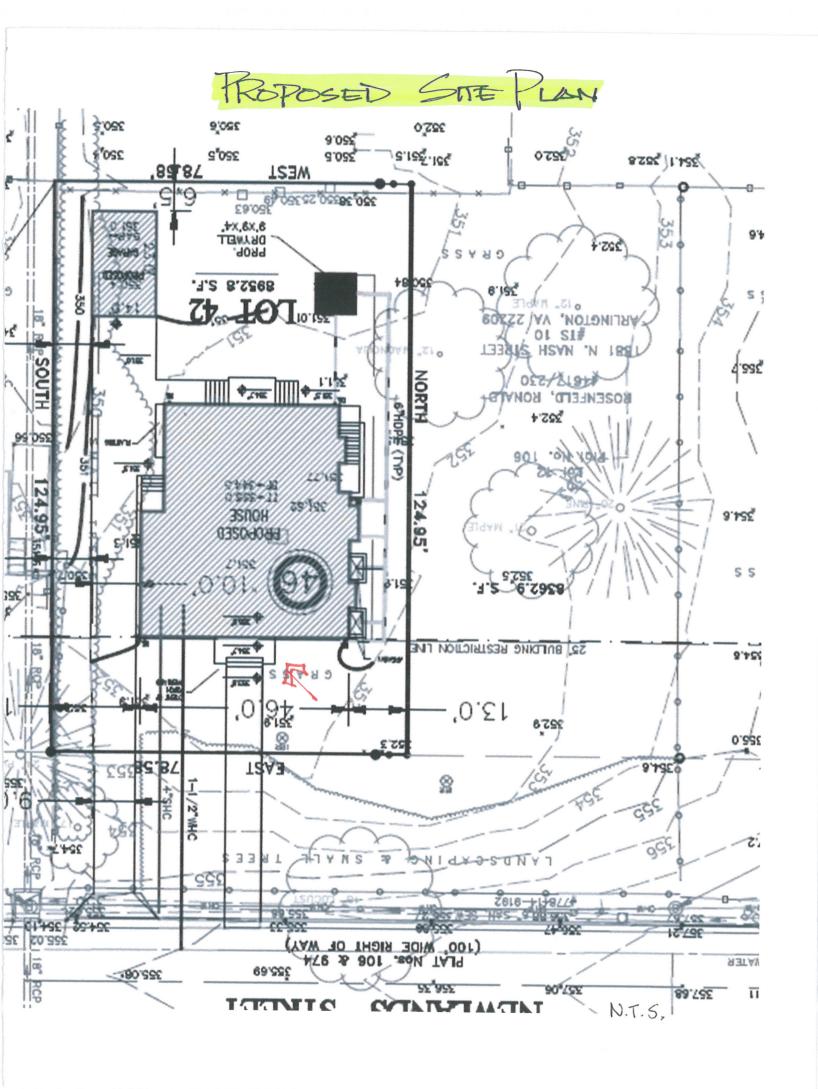
- 1. Enforcement of the requirements of Section 8-17C would result in hardship due to the fact that the house would be forced toward the rear, further pinching an already tight rear yard.
- 2. The proposed variance would meet the intent and spirit of the Village Code which is to keep the front façade in line with the rest of the houses on that side of Newlands St. Or conversely, would create an awkward setback of the proposed house from the neighbors houses whose facades are all on the 25'setback line (see attached plat)
- 3. The variance would violate an original covenant applicable to the property but, as stated in the next paragraph (4), there is precedent in that the previous house on the property violated this covenant.
- 4. The previous house on this property not only encroached on the 25' setback but had a front porch that encroached as well (see attached Snyder and Associates building location survey).
- 5. Two of the neighboring houses on the same side of Newlands have their front facades encroaching in the setback area. (see attached plat)
- 6. Three of the neighboring houses have stoops that encroach in the setback. (see attached plat)
- 7. Placement of the porch in the 25' setback area will not block air circulation, or adversely change the character of the property, or create unsafe conditions, or block vistas, or restrict air circulation or decrease green space.

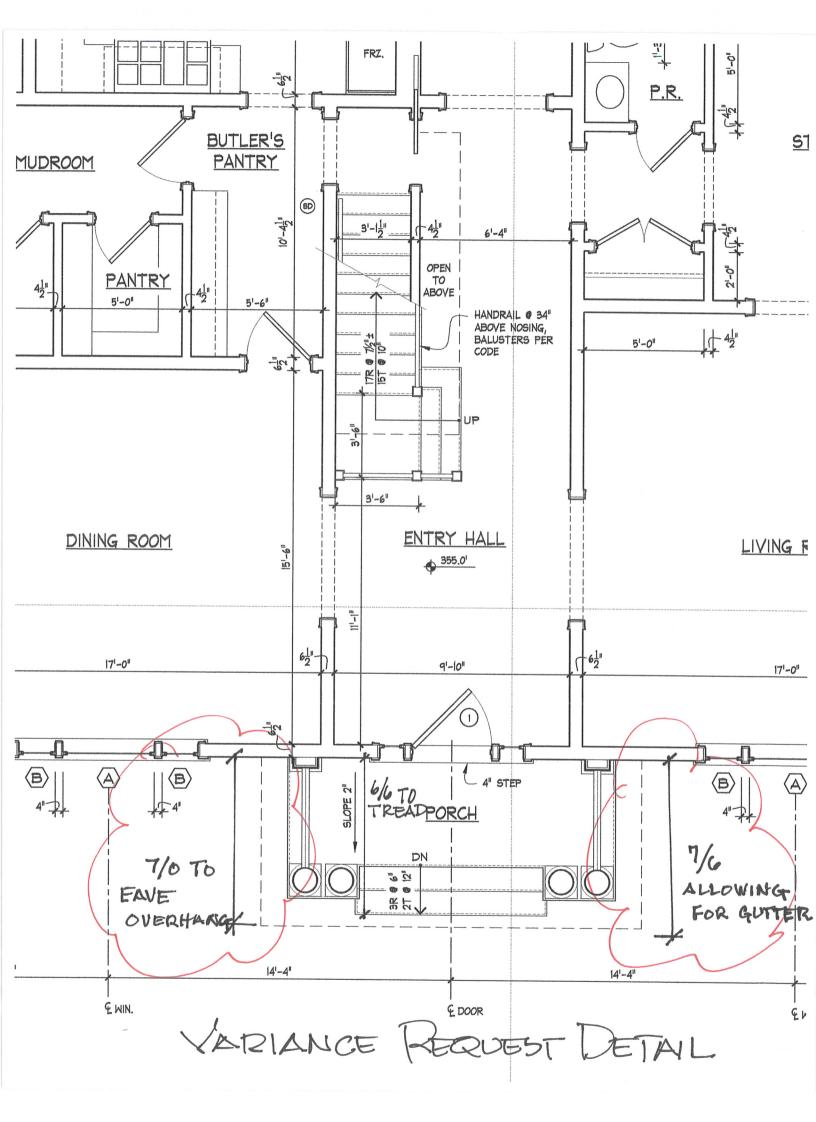
Summary:

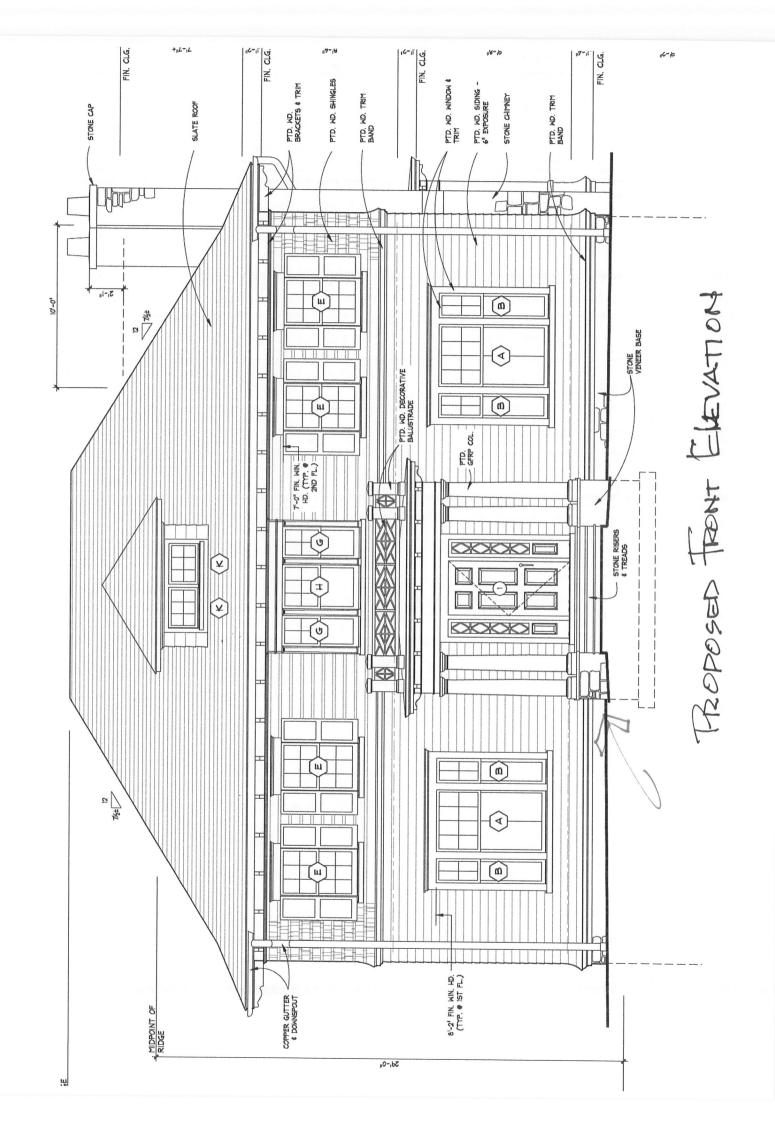
It is hoped that the Board will recognize that if the variance is approved, the front facades of all the houses on the south side of Newlands will remain aligned, as was historically the case when the original house existed. Further it is hoped that the Board recognizes that there is precedent for encroachment on this lot because the main house as well as the front porch of the previous house both encroached past the front yard setback. The new house façade will comply with the setback. We are asking for variance for just the front porch, thereby improving the condition over the original house.

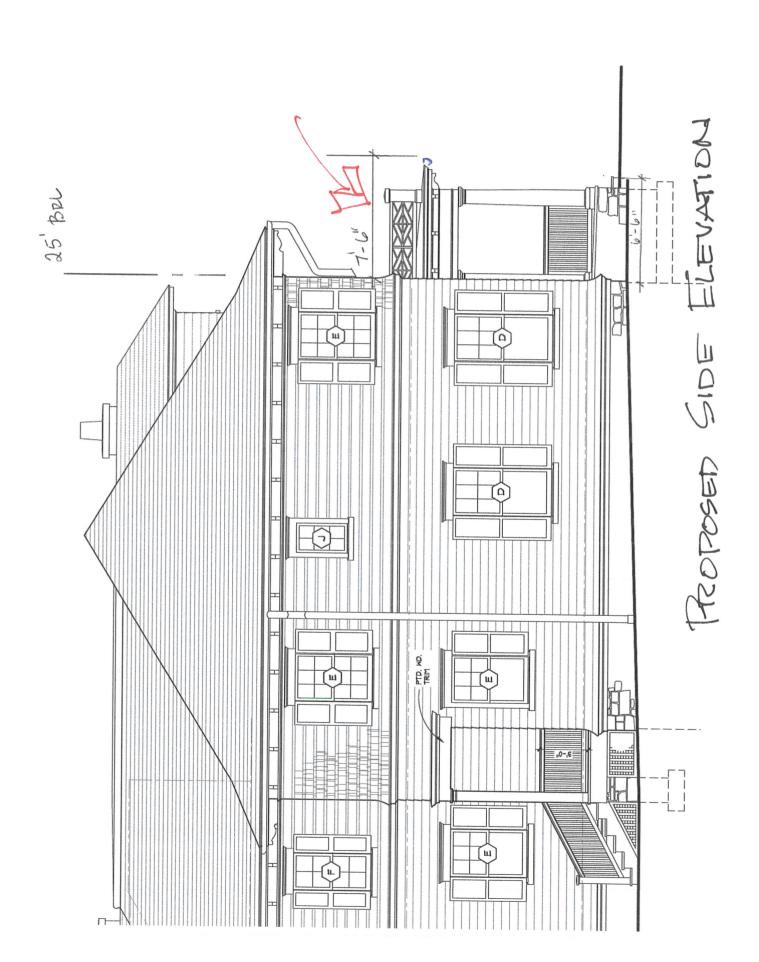
Respectfully submitted,

Brendan O'Neill Sr O'Neill Development









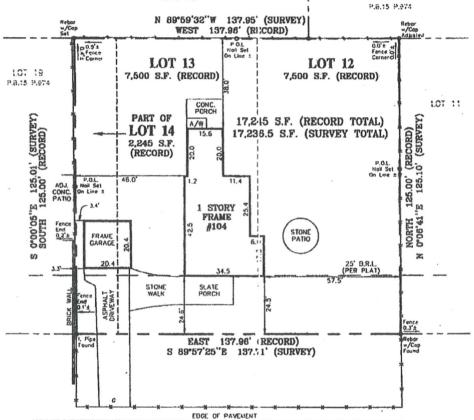
The information shown hereon has been prepared without benefit of a Title Report, therefore, may not reflect all easements or encumbrances which may affect subject property.

Notes:

- 1) Flood zone "X" per H.U.D. panel No. 0455D.
- All property corners have been recovered or set and verified per field survey performed: April 17, 2007.



LOT 40 P.R.15 P.974 PT. LOT 41



NEWLANDS' STREET

(100' R/W PLR PLAT)

EDGE OF PAVEMENT

PLAT OF SURVEY

TOUSE ON LOT

LOTS 12, 13 & PART OF 14 BLOCK 46, SECTION No. 2

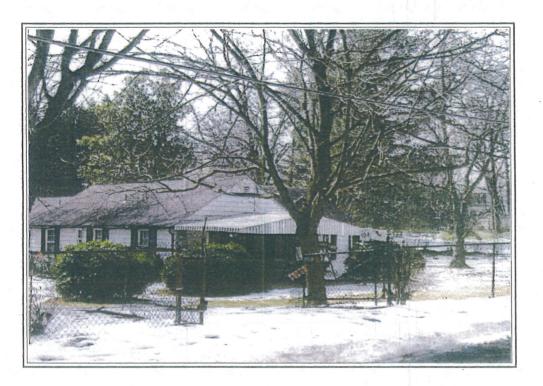
CHEVY CHASE
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

All Building Line and Flood Zone Information has been taken from available sources and is subject to interpretation of originator.

"I HERBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION SHOWN HEREON HAS BEEN BASED UPON THE	PLAT BK. 2	LAN 20270 Go	ER & ASSOCIATES ND SURVEYORS Idenrod Lane, Suite 110
RESULTS OF A FIELD SURVEY PURSUANT TO THE DEED OR PLAT OF RECORD. PROPERTY MARKERS HAVE BEEN RECOVERED OR PLACED ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPORMATION SHOWN.	PLAT NO. 106	DATE OF LOCATIONS	scale: 1" = 30'
Laura E Tiden 2000	LIBER 32665 FOLIO 306	HSE. LOC.: 9-13-07	DRAWN BY: A.L.W.
MARYLAND PROTESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR REG. NO.		PROP. CORS.: 4-17-07	JOB NO.: 07-1381B

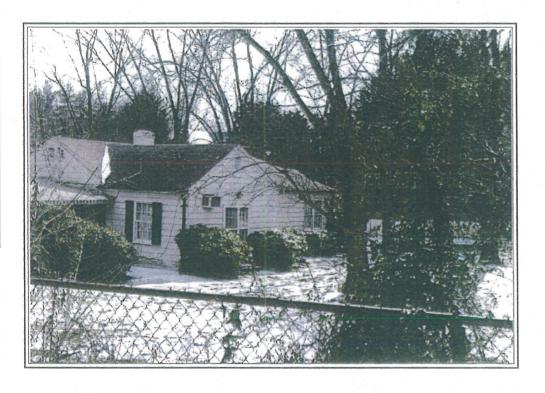
SUBJECT PROPERTY PHOTO ADDENDUM

Borrower:	File N	lo.: 07020802	
Property Address: 104 Newlands Street	Case	Case No.:	
City: Chevy Chase	State: MD	Zip: 20815	
Lender:			



FRONT VIEW OF SUBJECT PROPERTY

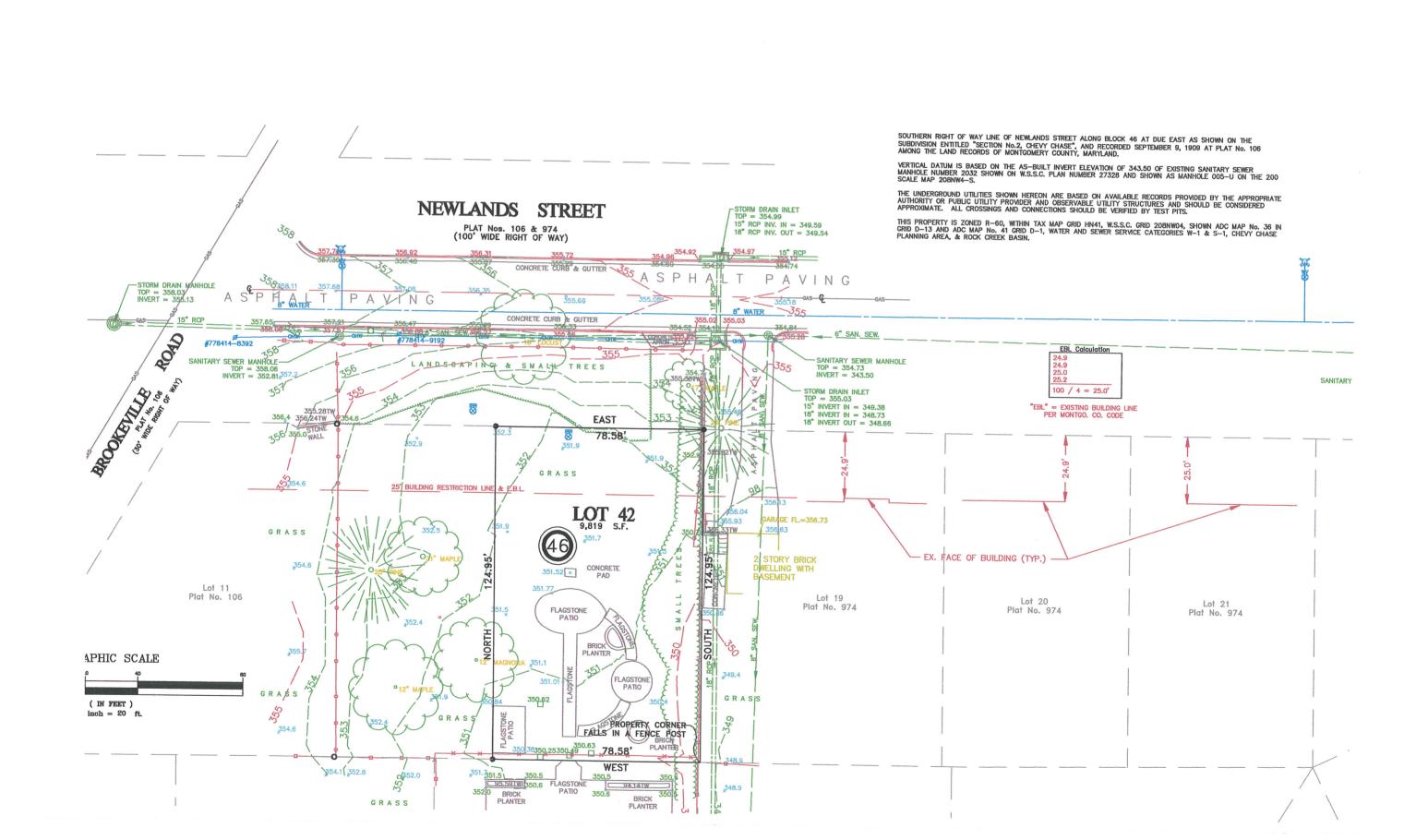
Appraised Date: Appraised Value: \$



REAR VIEW OF SUBJECT PROPERTY



STREET SCENE









Board of Managers c/o Ellen Sands, Permit and Code Enforcement Coordinator Chevy Chase Village 5906 Connecticut Avenue Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815

Re:

106 Newlands Street

Request for variance on front yard setback

Dear Ellen:

My wife and I live at 111 E. Melrose Street and our house backs up to the rear property line of 106 Newlands. We are impacted more than any other neighbor by the proposed development of a new house at 106 Newlands.

The developer, Mr. Brendan O'Neill, has met with us on several occasions to discuss his plans and seek our input with regard to the house. We appreciate that effort and his responsiveness to our concerns. Despite the impacts on us, we fully support his proposal.

As you know, Mr. O'Neill's variance request seeks to allow the encroachment of the proposed front porch of his new house into the 25' front yard setback. The front facades of all the other homes on Newlands are built in the same manner -- the front stoop/porches encroach into the technical setback area. In addition, the previous house on this lot that Mr. Rosenfeld demolished had a front porch encroachment into the setback area.

These facts aside, moving the house forward would certainly lessen the impact of the new construction on our rear yard and house. We would appreciate it very much if the Board of Managers would allow this encroachment into the setback.

We have confidence in Mr. O'Neill and his plans and ask that the City approve his project as soon as possible.

I would be happy to testify before the Board in support of this variance. Please keep me informed of any upcoming hearings

Sincerely

Geoffrey C. Etnire 111 E. Melrose Street

etnire@yahoo.com

Cell phone: 408.799.2992

(\$10.00) Dollars the said I Parr party of the second . e or parcel of ground situate. eing the same land which the tin by deed dated the 23 intgomery County, State of bed as follows to wit: All hevy Chase, Maryland. and Records of Montgomery ie said Let 7 being part of Let 3. 9. 13 and 17 of William at No. 62. Plat Book No. 1. ents thereupon, erected, made, sters, privileges, appurtense appertaining. parcel of ground and premises ponveyed, together with the belonging or appertaining ver of the said Isabel Parr ovenant that they will eyed; that they are seized of ey said land; that the said that they have done no act to her assurances of said land as

Joseph Parr. (Seel)

Parr. (Seal)

July 1920, before the subscriber and Mary E. Parr his wife, and

official seal this 14th day of

Mart in.

EXAMINED At the request of William Jett Lauck and Eleanor D. Lauck the following Deed was recorded July Mailed to 26th, A.D. 1920 at 9.48 o'clook A.M. to wit;-

THIS DEED, Made this 20th day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty 738-13-12 by and between The Chevy Chase Land Company, of Montgomery County, Maryland (a corporation duly erganized under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maryland), party of the firt part, and 1-12 21 William Jett Lauok and Eleaner D. Lauok, his wife, of the State of Maryland, parties of the second part:

> Witnesseth, that the said party of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of Fifteen hundred and eighteen and 75/100 (1518.75) Dollars to it paid by the said parties of the second part, and of the covenants and agreements of the said parties of the second part as hereinafter set forth, does hereby grant and convey unto the said parties of the second part, in fee simple, as tenants by the entirety, the following described land and premises, with the improvements, easements, and appurtenances thereunte belonging, situate in the County of Montgomery, State of Maryland, namely; Part of lets numbered Six (6), Seven (7), Thirteen (13) and Feurteen (14) in Bleck numbered Forty-six (46), Section Two (2), "Chevy Chase" a subdivision made by The Chevy Chase Land Company of Montgomery County, Maryland, as per plat of said subdivision recorded in Plat Book No. 2 page 106. of the Land Records of Wontgomery County, Maryland being a re-record of the plat of subdivision recorded among said Land Records in Liber J.A. No. 36 folio 61, described by metes and bounds, as follows, namely;-

Beginning for the same on the North line of Melrose Street at a point distant two hundred and eighty five and eighty-eight hundredths (285.88) feet east from the intersection of said line of said street with the easterly line of the Brockville Read (anid point, of beginning being the acutheast corner of the parcel of land conveved by the said The Chevy Chase Land Company of Montgomery County, Maryland, to the said William Jett Lauck et ux. by Deed recorded in Liber No. 288 folio 243 et seq. of the Montgomery County, Maryland, Land Records), and running thence East along said line of Melrose Street, Forty-five (45) feet; thence North and at right angles to said street, One hundred and thirty-five (135) feet; thence West and parallel with said street, Forty-five (45) feet, and thence scuth and at right angles to said street, one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet to Melrose Street, and the place of beginning.

Te Have and To Hold the said land and premises, with the improvements, easements and appurtenances, unto and to the use of the said parties of the second part, as tenants by the entirety, in fee-simple.

In Consideration of the execution of this Deed, the said parties of the second part, for themselves and for each of them, for their and each of their heirs and assigns, hereby covenant and agree with the party of the first part, its successors and assigns (such govenants and agreements to run with the land) as follows. viz:

1. That all houses upon the premises hereby conveyed shall be build and used for residence purposes exclusively, except stables, carriage-houses, sheds or other outbuildings, for use in connection with such residences, and that no trade, business, manufacture or sales, or nuisance of any kind shall be carried on or permitted upon said premises.

2. That no structure of any description shall be erseted within twenty-five (25) fest of the front line of said premises; and that no stable, carriage-house, shed, or outbuilding shall be erected except on the rear of said premises.

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Wash D. C.

In the case of corner lets any and all lines bordering upon a street, avenue, or parkway shall be considered a front line.

- 3. That no house shall be erected on said premises at a cost less than Three Thousand (3000) Dellars.
- 4. That any house erected on said premises shall be designed for the eccupancy of a single family, and no part of any house or of any structure appurtenant thereto shall be erected or maintained within five (5) feet of the side lines of premises hereby conveyed, nor within (10) ten feet of the nearest adjacent house.
- 5. That a vielation of any of the aforesaid covenants and agreements may be enjoined and the same enforced at the suit of The Chevy Chase Land Company, of Wontgemery County, Maryland, its successors and assigns (assigns including any person or person deriving title mediately or immediately from said Company to any lot or square, in the Section of the Subdivision of which the land hereby conveyed forms a part).

And the said party hereto of the first part hereby covenants to warrant specially the property hereby conveyed, and to execute such further assurances of said land as may be requisite.

In Testimeny Whereof, on the day and year first hereinbefore written, the said The Chevy Chase Land Company, of Montgomery County, Maryland, has caused these presents to be signed with its corporate name by Edward J. Stellwagen its President, attested by George E. Fleming its Secretary, and its corporate seal to be hereunte affixed, and does hereby constitute and appoint George E. Fleming its true and lawful Atterney-in-fact, for it and in its name, place and stead to acknowledge these presents as its set and deed before any person or efficer duly authorized to take such acknowledgment, and to deliver the same as such.

The Chevy Chase Land
Co. of Montgomery Co.,
Maryland.

The Chevy Chase Land Company, of

Mentgemery County, Maryland.

By: Edward J. Stellwagen.

President.

Attest;

George E. Pleming, Secretary.

(Internal Revenue \$2.00)

District of Columbia, to wit;

I, Albert W. Sicuses a Notary Public in and for the said District of Celumbia, de hereby certify that George E. Fleming who is personally well-known to me to be the person named as Atterney-in-fact in the foregoing and annexed Deed, dated the 20th day of May 1920, to acknowledge the same, personally appeared before me in said District of Celumbia, and as Atterney-in-fact as aforesaid, and by virtue of the power and authority in him vested by the aforesaid Deed, acknowledged the same to be the act and deed of the said The Chevy Chase Land Company, of Montgomery County, Maryland, and delivered the same as such.

Marled to The John of Wash. D. C.

EXAMINE